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December 3, 2024

**BY ECF**

Hon. Loretta A. Preska  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl St.  
New York, NY 10007

**Re: *United States v. Kennedy*, 12 Cr. 863 (LAP)**

Dear Judge Preska:

The Government writes to respectfully request on behalf of the parties that a hearing be set to address the specifications in the U.S. Probation Department's July 16, 2024 violation report for the defendant, Jamel Kennedy. Based on conversations with the Court's chambers, the parties understand that the Court is available on February 4, 2025 at 10 a.m.

The Government may seek to prove the specifications through hearsay and other corroborating evidence at the hearing. Accordingly, the parties respectfully request that any motions *in limine* regarding the admissibility of such evidence be filed by January 14, 2025, and any responses be filed by January 21, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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SO ORDERED

*Loretta A. Preska*  
LORETTA A. PRESKA  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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